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Dear

In connection with its investigation into the circumstances surrounding the assassination of President Kennedy, I am writing to request that the CIA provide the Committee with access to the following information:

- A list of documents in the possession of the CIA concerning Lee Harvey Oswald (Lee Henry Oswald, Harvey Lee Oswald) prior to the opening of a 201 file on him, as well as the office in which each of those documents was located prior to the opening of the file.
- A statement, including any written regulations, which establishes the criteria utilized by the CIA in classifying its relationships with individuals with whom it has had contact; i. e., whether such an individual would be classified as a source, an asset, an independent, a witting collaborator, an unwitting collaborator, etc.

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4) The three 201 files immediately preceeding Lee Harvey Oswald's file as well as the three 201 files

Thank you for your continuing cooperation.

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Sincerely,

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Chief Counsel and Director

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